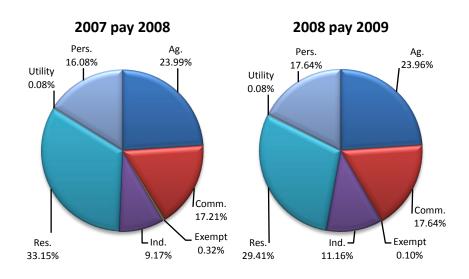
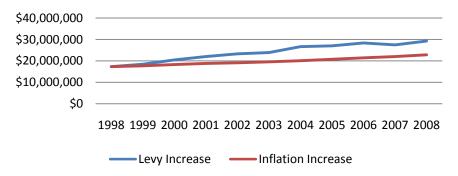
Wells County

Who pays property taxes?



Values show the percentage of net taxes due by major property class.

How much has spending changed?

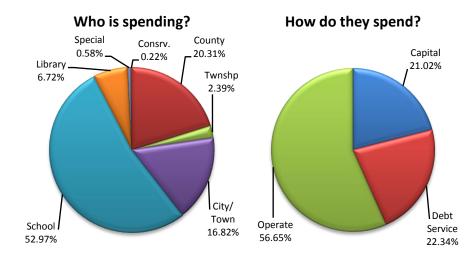


Recent Debt Issued

| Unit Name | Issue Type | Total Cost | | | |
|--|------------|-------------|---|--|--|
| No New Debt Reported Since 2006/2007 Tax Summary | | | | | |
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Who spends property taxes and how?



| Unit Name | 2008 Levy | 2009 Levy | %Change |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------|
| STATE UNIT | \$32,733 | \$0 | -100.0% |
| WELLS COUNTY | \$4,260,700 | \$3,621,671 | -15.0% |
| CHESTER TOWNSHIP | \$26,412 | \$26,303 | -0.4% |
| HARRISON TOWNSHIP | \$117,437 | \$107,580 | -8.4% |
| JACKSON TOWNSHIP | \$14,324 | \$14,401 | 0.5% |
| JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP | \$68,875 | \$64,571 | -6.2% |
| LANCASTER TOWNSHIP | \$61,762 | \$61,302 | -0.7% |
| LIBERTY TOWNSHIP | \$35,941 | \$35,322 | -1.7% |
| NOTTINGHAM TOWNSHIP | \$19,234 | \$56,466 | 193.6% |
| ROCKCREEK TOWNSHIP | \$34,083 | \$32,499 | -4.6% |
| UNION TOWNSHIP | \$28,829 | \$26,963 | -6.5% |
| BLUFFTON CIVIL CITY | \$2,487,526 | \$2,348,216 | -5.6% |
| ZANESVILLE CIVIL TOWN | \$27,492 | \$25,212 | -8.3% |
| MARKLE CIVIL TOWN | \$168,975 | \$167,484 | -0.9% |
| OSSIAN CIVIL TOWN | \$467,919 | \$410,963 | -12.2% |
| PONETO CIVIL TOWN | \$26,766 | \$26,200 | -2.1% |
| UNIONDALE CIVIL TOWN | \$19,711 | \$18,704 | -5.1% |
| VERA CRUZ CIVIL TOWN | \$2,634 | \$2,166 | -17.8% |
| SOUTHERN WELLS COMMUNITY SCHOOL | | | |
| CORPORATION | \$3,230,778 | \$1,539,979 | -52.3% |
| NORTHERN WELLS COMMUNITY SCHOOL | | | |
| CORPORATION | \$10,498,505 | \$4,440,835 | -57.7% |
| M.S.D. BLUFFTON-HARRISON SCHOOL CORPORATION | \$6,223,301 | \$3,466,506 | -44.3% |
| WELLS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY | \$1,176,626 | \$1,159,585 | -1.4% |
| HUNTINGTON LIBRARY | \$34,351 | \$38,775 | 12.9% |
| WELLS COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT | \$103,653 | \$103,983 | 0.3% |
| ROCK CREEK CONSERVANCY | \$33,937 | \$38,979 | 14.9% |
| Total | \$29,202,504 | \$17,834,665 | -38.9% |

Beginning in 2009, the state assumed some costs previously paid with property taxes, including the school general fund, child welfare levies, costs of juvenile incarceration in state facilities, state fair and forestry levies, health care for the indigent, pre-school special education levies and costs of police and fire pensions.